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Dear Sir/Madam:

PARTIAL WITHDRAWAL OF APPEAL UNDER MPEP §1215.03

In accordance with MPEP §1215.03, this is a partial withdrawal of the appeal filed for the above Patent Application. In particular, the appeal of claims 21-28, 67, and 78-83 is withdrawn. The pending appeal is maintained with respect to claim 20.

Respectfully submitted



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